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SUBJECT : Withdrawal from Issue of **Application No. 10/500,331**

Applicant(s) : Luca Vinci, et al.
Application No. : 10/500,331
Filed : June 28, 2004

The above-identified application has been assigned Patent No. 7,537,578 and an issue date of May 26, 2009.

It is hereby directed that this application be withdrawn from issue at the request of the applicant. Do not refund the issue fee.

The following erratum should be published in the Official Gazette if the above-identified application is published in the OG of May 26, 2009:

"All reference to Patent No. 7,537,578 to Luca Vinci, et al. of Italy for PROCESS FOR CONTROLLING BLOOD FLOW IN AN EXTRACORPOREAL BLOOD CIRCUIT appearing in the Official Gazette of May 26, 2009 should be deleted since no patent was granted."

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